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TAGS: EGEN, SENV, BE

SUBJECT: SPOKANE 1974 INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION

REF: BRUSSELS 4217

1. COMMISSIONER GENERAL HENDERSON, KING COLE AND WARNES CALLED ON FOREIGN MINISTRY (DE VOLGELAERE) AND ON ECONOMICS MINISTRY (BAYENS) TOGETHER WITH ECOMCOUNS ON JULY 27. CHARGE HOSTED LUNCHEON SAME DAY, IN HENDERSON'S HONOR FOR LEADING BELGIAN INDUSTRIAL, TOURISM AND SCIENTIFIC FIGURES (EACH OF WHOM EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR BELGIAN PARTICIPATION).

2. DE VOLGELAERE SAID HE HAD BRIEFED FOREIGN MINISTER ON EXPO 74 AS RESULT CHARGES'S REPRESENTATIONS ON JULY 24
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(REFTEL. HE PROMISED TO DO SO AGAIN BUT HE WARNED THE

FINAL DECISION RESTED IN ECONOMICS MINISTRY.

3. BAYENS GAVE ASSURANCES THAT BELGIUM WOULD PARTICIPATE
IN THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN PAVILLION AT SPOKANE PROVIDED
AT LEAST ONE OTHER EEC COUNTRY AGREED TO DO SO AS WELL.
HE AUTHORIZED HENDERSON TO QUOTE HIM TO THAT EFFECT.

4. HENDERSON AND PARTY ARRIVING THE HAGUE LATE MORNING
JULY 30.
BOOCHEVER

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